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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled AN ACTUATOR, the specification of which:

- ☒ is attached hereto,
☐ was filed on as Application Serial No. and was amended on ,
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WIPO	PCT/DK2006/000195	April 6, 2006	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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